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GUILTY OF MURDER IS LAWSON VERDICT

Trinidad, Cal., May 8.—John R. Lawson, executive board member of the United Mine Workers of America, has been found guilty of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

It was the verdict of a jury of twelve men who heard Lawson's case. Lawson was charged with the murder of a man named John J. O'Connell, who was killed in a riot at Los Angeles, October 3, 1915. Lawson's defense was that he was not present at the riot and that he was not the person who fired the shot which killed O'Connell.

The jury found Lawson guilty of murder and sentenced him to life imprisonment. Lawson's appeal has been denied.

MUST PROTECT RIGGINS

Holston, Mass., May 8.—The state labor and accident board have just issued a decision in the case of Riggins, a miner who was killed by a falling rock in a mine. The board has ruled that the mine owner must protect Riggins and his family.

The board has ordered the mine owner to pay Riggins's family \$10,000. The board has also ordered the mine owner to provide Riggins's family with a home and a job.

LITTLEFIELD IS DEAD

Portland, Me., May 8.—Eugene Littlefield, a prominent labor leader, died last night. He was 65 years old. He had been ill for some time.

Littlefield was a member of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters. He was also a member of the American Federation of Labor.

WOMEN POORLY PAID

Philadelphia, Pa., May 8.—Statistics show that women are paid less than men for the same work. The statistics show that women are paid 75 percent of what men are paid for the same work.

The statistics also show that women are paid less than men for the same work in all industries. The statistics show that women are paid less than men for the same work in all industries.

SIGN ICE HANDLERS' SCALE

Columbus, O., May 8.—After a long conference, the ice handlers' union has signed a new contract with the ice companies. The new contract provides for a 10 percent increase in wages.

The new contract also provides for a 10 percent increase in the cost of living allowance. The new contract also provides for a 10 percent increase in the cost of living allowance.

SAYS JOHN D. SR. IS BOSS

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 8.—John D. Sr., a prominent labor leader, has said that John D. Jr. is the boss of the labor movement. He said that John D. Jr. is the boss of the labor movement.

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UNIONIST SCORES RAILROAD

Washington, May 8.—The Pennsylvania Railroad has been hit on the rack this week by the unionists. The unionists have scored a major victory over the railroad.

The unionists have won a major victory over the railroad. They have won a major victory over the railroad.

PRaises Texas Law

Austin, Tex., May 8.—The Texas rooming house law has been praised by labor leaders. The law provides for the protection of workers in rooming houses.

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GIRL PLEADS FOR CHILDREN

Glendale, Cal., May 8.—"Think of it. A whole lot of children are being born in this city. A whole lot of children are being born in this city. A whole lot of children are being born in this city."

The girl is pleading for her children. She is pleading for her children.

CALIFORNIA SOLONS STIRRED

Sacramento, Cal., May 8.—The bill for a semi-monthly pay day stirred the solons. The bill provides for a semi-monthly pay day.

The bill provides for a semi-monthly pay day. It provides for a semi-monthly pay day.

UNIONIST TALKS PLAN

Trenton, N. J., May 8.—They think about the plan. They think about the plan. They think about the plan.

They think about the plan. They think about the plan.

TRADING ON POVERTY

Adelaide, South Australia, May 8.—Trading on poverty. Trading on poverty. Trading on poverty.

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PAY SCIP BARRED

Sacramento, Cal., May 8.—The house has barred the pay scrip. The house has barred the pay scrip.

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CAMP FOR CONSUMPTIVES

Medford, Wis., May 8.—A bill appropriating \$500,000 to operate a new camp for consumptives. The bill provides for the operation of a new camp for consumptives.

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AGAINST CHILD LABOR LAW

Little Rock, Ark., May 8.—The Little Rock Bulletin has published a long article against the child labor law. The article argues that the child labor law is unconstitutional.

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MY DIRECTORS CONTROL

Kansas City, Mo., May 8.—Before leaving for a meeting of the directors of the International Association of Machinists, the chairman of the board has said that the directors control the company.

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ROLL CALLS PROMISED

Springfield, Ill., May 8.—Nearly 2,000 men are expected to attend the roll call. The roll call will be held in Springfield, Ill.

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CONFERENCE ON LABOR

Washington, May 8.—A national conference on labor is being held in Washington. The conference is being held in Washington.

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TEACHERS FORM LABOR UNION

Sacramento, Cal., May 8.—The teachers have formed a labor union. The teachers have formed a labor union.

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DEFEAT COMPENSATION CHANGE

Sacramento, Cal., May 8.—The state assembly has defeated a bill to change the compensation of state officers. The bill was defeated in the state assembly.

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BARBERS TO EXPAND

San Francisco, May 8.—The barbers are planning to expand their union. The barbers are planning to expand their union.

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CHILD LABOR BILL PASSED

Harrisburg, Pa., May 8.—The senate has passed the child labor bill. The senate has passed the child labor bill.

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BUILDING LABORERS STRIKE

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 8.—The building laborers are on strike. The building laborers are on strike.

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ENGLISH NEWSPAPER SUPPORTS UNIONISTS

London, England, May 8.—The English newspaper, the Daily Worker, has published a long article supporting the unionists. The article argues that the unionists are the only ones who can save the country.

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COURT HAS POWER OVER WAGES

Wellington, New Zealand, May 8.—The court has ruled that it has the power to set wages. The court has ruled that it has the power to set wages.

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D. DOUGLAS WILSON PASSES

Washington, May 8.—D. Douglas Wilson, a prominent labor leader, has died. He was 65 years old. He had been ill for some time.

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RAILROADS KILL 2748

Washington, May 8.—The number of deaths on the railroads has increased. The number of deaths on the railroads has increased.

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MUST ABIDE BY AWARD

Boston, May 8.—The agreement entered into by the railroads and the union must be abided by. The agreement entered into by the railroads and the union must be abided by.

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WHAT UNIONISM CAN DO

Joplin, Mo., May 8.—The union can do a great deal for its members. The union can do a great deal for its members.

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MOVIE OPERATORS STRIKE

Nashville, Tenn., May 8.—The movie operators are on strike. The movie operators are on strike.

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NO QUOTE OF COAL RATES

Columbus, O., May 8.—The state legislature has refused to quote coal rates. The state legislature has refused to quote coal rates.

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LAUNDRY WORKERS GROW

San Francisco, May 8.—The laundry workers are growing in number. The laundry workers are growing in number.

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TELLS OF PORTO RICAN LIFE

San Juan, Porto Rico, May 8.—The representative of the United States has told of the life in Porto Rico. The representative of the United States has told of the life in Porto Rico.

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WAGE "RAISE" NOT A RAISE

San Francisco, May 8.—The wage "raise" is not a raise. The wage "raise" is not a raise.

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RAISES SOME ROADS

Chicago, May 8.—The roads have raised some rates. The roads have raised some rates.

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CLERGYMAN FAVORS UNIONS

South Bend, Ind., May 8.—The clergyman has expressed his support for the unions. The clergyman has expressed his support for the unions.

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DEFEAT OBNOXIOUS BILL

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AN ECHO OF SHIP DISASTER

Montreal, May 8.—The echo of the ship disaster is heard. The echo of the ship disaster is heard.

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SALARY LOAN BILL PASSED

Columbus, O., May 8.—The salary loan bill has been passed. The salary loan bill has been passed.

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HOME RULE FOR WISCONSIN

Madison, Wis., May 8.—The home rule for Wisconsin has been passed. The home rule for Wisconsin has been passed.

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BREWERY EMPLOYEES ADVANCE

Philadelphia, Pa., May 8.—The brewery employees have advanced their wages. The brewery employees have advanced their wages.

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AGITATE! EDUCATE! ORGANIZE!

Chicago, May 8.—The International Brotherhood of Teamsters has issued a call to action. The International Brotherhood of Teamsters has issued a call to action.

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VACATION WITH PAY

Chicago, May 8.—The vacation with pay has been approved. The vacation with pay has been approved.

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NOT SHOT: SMOTHERED

Chicago, May 8.—The man who was not shot was smothered. The man who was not shot was smothered.

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SHIP OWNER ANSWERED

San Francisco, May 8.—The ship owner has answered the charges. The ship owner has answered the charges.

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TO AID DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Madison, Wis., May 8.—The bill to aid dependent children has been passed. The bill to aid dependent children has been passed.

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SUBSIDY DAYS ARE PASSED

San Francisco, May 8.—The subsidy days are passed. The subsidy days are passed.

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EXPENSES DECREASED MOST

Washington, May 8.—The expenses have been decreased. The expenses have been decreased.

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LAUNDRY WORKERS GROW

San Francisco, May 8.—The laundry workers are growing in number. The laundry workers are growing in number.

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HORSEHOES MAKE GAINS

Jersey City, N. J., May 8.—The horsehoes have made gains. The horsehoes have made gains.

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WHOLE NO. 214

Chicago, May 8.—The whole no. 214 has been issued. The whole no. 214 has been issued.

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PLUMBERS WANT \$4.50

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